

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY (ACQUISITION, LOGISTICS, AND TECHNOLOGY) WASHINGTON

To the ASA (ALT) Team,

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ASA (ALT) Mission Statement: Continuously modernize the U.S. Army through the development and timely delivery of overmatch capability to the Soldier in order to fight and win our Nation's wars.

Leadership Philosophy:

Cultural Change. In order to effectively modernize the force, ASA (ALT) will be assertive, flexible, adaptable and forward thinking. While process is important, delivering product is the fundamental standard by which we are measured. I encourage you to work closely with cross functional teams to define, establish and write requirements. Maximize use of law and policy in order to rapidly prototype, produce and field products.

Accelerated Fielding. I want to ensure an agile and responsive acquisition system to meet the needs of our Soldiers; this includes reducing time-consuming and wasteful processes and reports. Focus efforts on developing an acceptable material solution and field your product; allow for time to upgrade the fielded system incrementally over time.

Accelerated Technology. We will apply resources to employ and develop technologies that provide the greatest military advantage. We must ensure that the Army intelligently focuses our Science and Technology investments on those technologies that contribute to the greatest advancements toward modernization and to enable technologies.

Accountability. We are working to improve the way we do business in order to make the Total Army more lethal, capable and efficient. We must ensure that our organizations, policies, processes and tasks that consume time, money and manpower deliver real value.

People are the Army's greatest asset; the acquisition workforce is essential to modernization.

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